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December 20, 2004

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, S.W., Room TW-A325
Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Access Charge Reform; Reform of Access
Charges Imposed by Competitive Local Exchange Carriers,
CC Docket No. 96-262
Access to Confidential Information

Dear Ms. Dortch:

Enclosed for filing with the FCC in the above-referenced proceeding are executed Declarations (that is, from Attachment A as appended to the *Protective Order*, DA 04-3909, adopted and released by the Pricing Policy Division of the Wireline Competition Bureau on December 14, 2004), for the following employees (including the undersigned) of Qwest:

- Craig Brown – Corporate Counsel
- Peter Copeland – Director-Cost and Economic Analysis
- Ross Dino – Director-Resource Center
- Richard Foster – Staff Cost Accountant
- Richard Grozier – Lead Policy Rep
- Raymond Sabell – Staff Cost Accountant

The Qwest employees that executed the enclosed Declarations have read the *Protective Order*, agree to be bound by its terms and agree not to disclose any confidential information except as permitted pursuant to the *Protective Order*. All of the above employees support the undersigned, “in-house counsel actively engaged in the conduct of this proceeding,” and thus disclosure of confidential information to them is permissible pursuant to paragraphs nine and ten of the *Protective Order*.

Qwest is serving copies of these executed Declarations on Mr. William P. Heaston, General Counsel for PrairieWave Telecommunications, Inc., via overnight courier, at the address provided in paragraph three of the *Protective Order*. By the transmission of this correspondence to Mr. Heaston, Qwest seeks access to the confidential document(s) referred to in the November 12, 2004 Petition for Waiver of PrairieWave (*see, e.g.*, footnote 13).

Ms. Marlene H. Dortch
December 20, 2004

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If you have any questions about this matter, please contact me at the above telephone number.

Sincerely,

/s/ Craig J. Brown

cc: Tamara L. Preiss, WCB, via e-mail at tamara.preiss@fcc.gov
William P. Heaston, PrairieWave Telecommunications, Inc. via overnight courier

Enclosures

Attachment A

DECLARATION

In the Matter of)
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Competitive Local Exchange Carriers)

I, Craig J. Brown, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) Craig J. Brown
(name) Craig J. Brown
(representing) Qwest
(title) Corporate Counsel
(employer) Qwest
(address) 1801 California Street, 10th Floor, Denver CO
(phone) (303) 383-6649
(date) 12/16/04

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I, Peter Copeland, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) Peter Copeland

(name) Peter Copeland

(representing) Qwest

(title) Director - Cost & Economic Analysis

(employer) Qwest

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(phone) 303 - 896 - 2794

(date) 12/16/04

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I, Ross Dino, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.


(signed) Ross Dino
(name) Ross Dino
(representing) Qwest
(title) Director - Resource Center
(employer) Qwest
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(phone) 303-383-6594
(date) Dec. 16, 2004

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I, Richard W Foster, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) (name) Richard W Foster(representing) Qwest(title) Staff Cost Accountant(employer) Qwest(address) 1801 California St # 4710(phone) 303-896-7345(date) 12/15/04

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I, Richard Grozier, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) Richard Grozier

(name) Richard Grozier

(representing) Qwest

(title) Lead Policy Rep

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(date) 12/16/04

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I, Raymond F. Sabell, hereby declare under penalty of perjury that I have read the Protective Order in this proceeding, and that I agree to be bound by its terms pertaining to the treatment of Confidential Information submitted by parties to this proceeding. I understand that the Confidential Information shall not be disclosed to anyone except in accordance with the terms of the Protective Order and shall be used only for purposes of this proceeding. I acknowledge that a violation of the Protective Order is a violation of an order of the Federal Communications Commission. I acknowledge that the Protective Order is also a binding agreement with the Submitting Party.

(signed) Raymond F. Sabell(name) Raymond F. Sabell(representing) Qwest(title) Staff Cost Accountant(employer) Qwest(address) 9105 Bottle Creek Lane, Las Vegas NV, 89117(phone) (702) 254-0434(date) 12/15/2004